
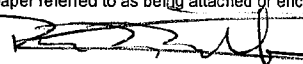


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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2008</b> (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)		Docket Number (Optional) 022727-0117	
Application Number 10/711,886-Conf. #5885		Filed October 12, 2004	
For <b>METHODS AND DEVICES FOR MAINTAINING AN OPEN AIRWAY</b>			
Art Unit 3772		Examiner B. L. Jackson	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.			
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):			
		<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$120	\$60 \$ 60.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$460	\$230 \$
<input type="checkbox"/>	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1050	\$525 \$
<input type="checkbox"/>	Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1640	\$820 \$
<input type="checkbox"/>	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2230	\$1115 \$
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.		
<input type="checkbox"/>	A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Payment by credit card via EFS-Web.		
<input type="checkbox"/>	The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	The Director is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>141449</u> .		
<b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b>			
I am the	<input type="checkbox"/>	applicant/inventor.	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).	
	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	attorney or agent of record. Registration Number <u>59,659</u>	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	Registration number acting under 37 CFR 1.34	
		<u>March 13, 2008</u>	
Signature		Date	
<u>Rory P. Pheiffer</u>		<u>(617) 439-2000</u>	
Typed or printed name		Telephone Number	
NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Total of <u>1</u> forms are submitted.		

<b>One Month Request for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>	
I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted via the Office electronic filing system in accordance with § 1.6(a)(4).	
Dated: March 13, 2008	Signature:  (Rory P. Pheiffer)